

ABOUT THE STATE

Happenings of Interest from Different Sections.

Herman Merrill recently shot six coons at Dead creek in Panton. They had climbed a tree and the water rose so that they could not get ashore.

Mary, 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Brown of Rutland, while sliding recently, went over a stone wall and broke one arm. She put out her arm to stop her sled from going into East creek.

Martin F. Ingram broke both bones below the elbow of his right arm in two places a few days ago as he was putting a belt onto the shafting at a sawmill in Marlboro with his hand, instead of using a stick.

Orville D. Tower, who died at his home in Bridport Dec. 5 at the age of 82 years, was at one time one of the most prominent farmers in Addison county, and had held most of the town offices in Bridport.

F. H. Bacon, a farmer in Pompanoosuc, committed suicide by cutting his throat with a razor last Sunday. The cause is supposed to have been on account of ill health. He had lived in Pompanoosuc only about three weeks.

Albert Hooker, 40, committed suicide at his home in Poultney Dec. 4, by hanging himself in the cellar. Mr. Hooker had been acting strangely for some time and a hearing was to have been held at Castleton probate court the next morning, where he was to have been examined as to his sanity.

Giles Jewett, a Hill West trapper, found on visiting his traps one morning that one was missing, having been loosed and dragged away by some animal. About two weeks later and about two miles from the spot where the lost trap had been, Mr. Jewett caught in another trap, a fine large coon, which had attached to one foot the missing trap.

Mrs. Louis K. Sprague of Rutland has received word that her brother, Pvt. Raymond Bennett of Co. M, 105th Infantry, was killed in action in France on Sept. 29. He enlisted in Co. M, Jan. 11, 1914, and served on the Mexican border in 1916. Pvt. Bennett was 24 years old and was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Joel Bennett of Hoosick Falls, N. Y. Besides his parents and sister he is survived by two other sisters and four brothers. Pvt. Bennett participated in the battle in which the Americans broke the famous Hindenburg line.

Miss Edna G. Lyons of Rutland, formerly of Rochester, has brought a breach of promise action against Ralph T. Severy, a prominent resident of Brandon, for \$5,000 damages, claiming that she has been injured to that extent because of his refusal to marry her after a promise to do so. Mr. Severy owns considerable property in his home town and this has been attached, as well as two bank accounts and some farming implements and stock. The case is returnable at the March term of county court. Miss Lyons alleges that on June 12 and 15 of this year, as well as at other times, the defendant promised to marry her, but has failed to fulfill his promise, although he has been requested to do so. It is understood that Miss Lyons, who was a relative of Mr. Severy's wife, first met Severy while visiting his wife, who has since died.

RICHFORD FACTORY BURNS.
International Garment Co. Had Been Working on Government Contracts.

Richford, Dec. 7.—The local plant of the International Garment company was practically destroyed by fire Thursday night, the stock building being entirely consumed, the main building badly damaged. A government shipment was lost. About 40 persons were employed by the company. The company has been working on big government contracts and only the last shipment was in the building. Much stock material also was destroyed. It is believed that the fire must have originated in the furnace room.

TRIED IN VERMONT.
John Luce, Soldier Who Stabbed Burlington Station Agent.

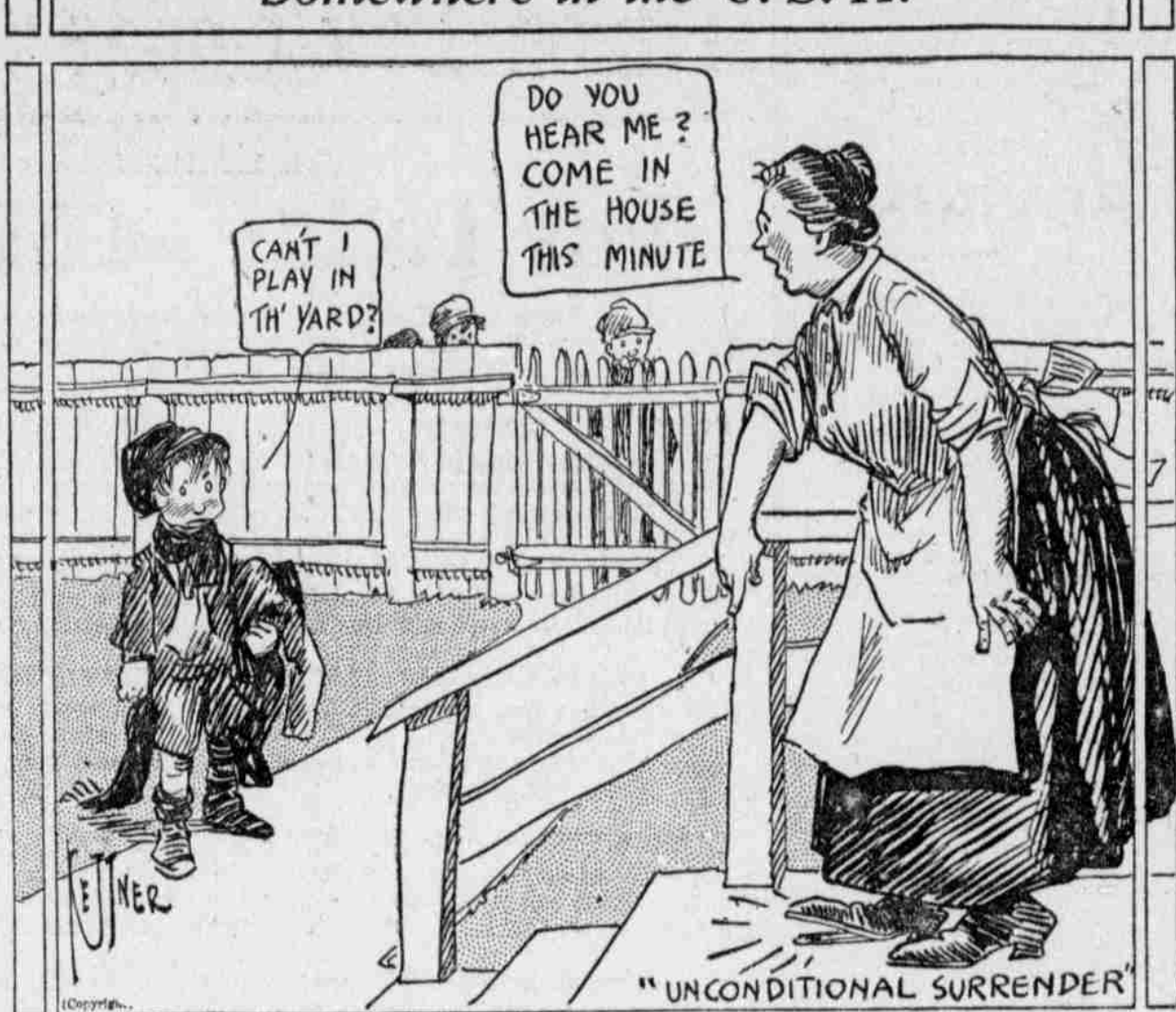
Brattleboro, Dec. 7.—Attorney General Herbert G. Barber has been notified by the judge advocate general at Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass., that the government would make no further demands for the custody of Private John Luce of Troy, N. Y., who fatally stabbed Station Master A. M. Prentiss in Burlington on Monday last week. The evidence in the possession of the state will be presented to the grand jury in special session in Burlington next Monday afternoon.

Pvt. Luce secured a two-day leave and started for home, but boarded the wrong train and arrived in Burlington. Having no money he climbed on top of a passenger car to ride back to camp but was detected and arrested by the station agent, who was an officer. On the way to the police station Luce drew a knife and stabbed Mr. Prentiss in the face and neck, severing the jugular vein. The military authorities requested that Luce be turned over to a military guard but Attorney Barber asked that the state be permitted to try the man for the alleged murder at Burlington and his request has been granted.

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An Inducement for Tourists to Visit Vermont.

Vermont's need of good roads, and the financial return which the state may expect from tourists to pay for these roads, is a good margin besides, are explicitly set forth in a letter from a Massachusetts business man of wealth and prominence which has been received at the headquarters of the patrol committee, Vermont's new and energetic good road movement.

"I have traveled all over New England during the last ten years, spending weeks in various places, and of all the country in which I have toured, none appeals to me as the equal of Vermont. In meeting other tourists, it is at once admitted that, if Vermont had a few trunk lines between its principal and larger towns that have good hotel accommodations, there would be more tourists here than in any other state in the country, not excepting even the White Mountain district of New Hampshire.

"When your roads are dry, they are good enough as they are, and if one could be assured what the weather for tomorrow is to be, a great many Saturday trips into Vermont would be taken under present conditions; but when we realize that even a shower prohibits returning in safety, we are compelled to seek other roads for our week-ends or tours.

"While we do frequently go into Vermont and find ourselves held there because of slippery conditions on the roads from rain received during the night, we hesitate about ever returning because there are so many different routes with permanent roads that one can select in these days. Massachusetts is a very prosperous state, full of automobiles and full of tourists, simply because she has such a large mileage of permanent roads in all directions.

"I hope to see the day when Vermont can be safely traveled in rainy weather over one or two main trunk lines up the Connecticut valley as well as two or three cross roads, making a good connection between the Connecticut valley and New York state."

FOUND DEAD AT POST.
Brattleboro Night Watchman Probably Had a Shock.

Brattleboro, Dec. 7.—Charles H. Evans, 61, night watchman for the Twin State Gas & Electric company and formerly agent of the Metropolitan Life Insurance company several years, was found dead on the floor in the boiler room of the company's gas plant shortly after midnight Thursday night.

Mr. Evans was an Odd Fellow, being a member of Watastiquet lodge and Oasis encampment. He was a member of D. F. Curtin camp, United States War Veterans, and an attendant at the First Baptist church.

Besides his wife Mr. Evans leaves one daughter, Gladys, wife of Sewell L. Purinton, who conducts a grocery store at 23 Chestnut street.

Trouble Seems to Come Easy
to old people. They outlive their adventures, and the next generation doesn't understand.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE
ESTATE OF GRACE WOOD CUTLER

The undersigned, having been appointed by the honorable probate court for the district of Washington, commissioner, to receive, examine, and adjust the claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Grace Wood Cutler, late of the city of Barre, in said district, deceased, and all claims exhibited in or hereto, hereby give notice that we will meet for the purpose aforesaid, at the Granite Savings Bank & Trust Company, in the city of Barre, on the 10th day of December, A. D. 1918, at the time limited by said court for said creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated at the city of Barre, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1918.

FRANK F. CAVE,
JOHN TROW, Commissioners.

Dec-7-14-21

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midnight Thursday night, by Wesley Richardson, another night man who finishes work at midnight. Dr. W. H. Lane was called and expressed the opinion that Mr. Evans had been dead about two hours. Health Officer Henry Tucker stated that death was probably due to apoplexy.

Charles Howard Evans was one of two sons of Samuel and Eliza (Walker) Evans and was born in Weymouth, Mass., Dec. 31, 1856. He attended the schools of Weymouth and went when a young man to Saco, Me., where he conducted a grocery store about 20 years. For a time he lived in Easton, Me., where he married Miss Eva Herrick July 2, 1878. Mr. and Mrs. Evans lived in Colorado a few years, and returning east lived for a time in Maine before coming in 1899 to Brattleboro, Mr. Evans working in the cutting-up room at the Estey plant. He left the Estey plant when Co. I, 1st Vermont regiment, of which he was a member, went to Chickamauga Park, during the Spanish-American war in 1898. When the company returned to Brattleboro, Mr. Evans went to Easton, Me., later moving to Mars Hill, Me., where he worked on a farm about a year. Mr. and Mrs. Evans then moved to Brattleboro and Mr. Evans was agent several years for the Metropolitan Life Insurance company, giving up insurance work in 1910 and again entering the employ of the Estey Organ company in the capacity of night watchman.

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